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The Honorable Ann Kobayashi, Chair
and Members
Committee on Budget
530 S. King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, HI 96813

Subject: Testimony Supporting Bill 69 (2013) – Relating to Public Transit

Dear Chair Kobayashi and Members,

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this important matter. Although I am a member of the Waipahu Neighborhood Board (which voted to support Bill 69), I am writing to you today as a private citizen.

I would humbly request your full support of Bill 69 (2013) which would generate much needed revenue for the City and County of Honolulu. Advertisements on the exterior of buses will not hinder from the primary purpose of the vehicles, which is to transport individuals from destination to destination. But, it will generate revenue from businesses to support the bus system that is utilized and relied upon by a good number of Oahu residents.

Again, I thank you for the opportunity to testify in strongly support of the passage of Bill 69.

Sincerely,



Maureen Andrade